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The undersigned respectfully requests that a Certificate of Correction be issued for the above-identified patent as indicated on the attached Form PTO-1050.

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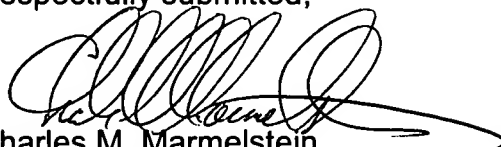
This request is being made in order to correct a typographical error in the filing date of the continuation-in-part application. In support of this request is a copy of the first page of U.S. Patent No. 5,269,797, which issued from the continuation-in-part application.

Since the error in the patent appears to be a Patent and Trademark Office printing error, it is respectfully submitted that no fee is required. However, in the event that any

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CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

PATENT NO.: 5,472,426 C1

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Title Page -

Item (63), Related U.S. Application Data, please amend the filing date of the continuation-in-part application to read -- September 12, 1991 --.

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